

PTO/SB/08A (09-06)

Substitute for form 1449/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(Use as many sheets as necessary)</i>				Complete if Known	
				Application Number	10/573,660
				Filing Date	28 March 2006
				First Named Inventor	E. F. Da Silva Neto
				Art Unit	
Examiner Name					
Sheet		of		Attorney Docket Number	DASI3006/FJD
U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. 1	Document Number Number-Kind Code	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			
		US-			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. 1	Foreign Patent Document Country Code - Number - Kind Code (If known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Ts
/DL/		DE 195 02 499 A1	08-01-1996	Mierswa, K.		
/DL/		DE 103 09 886 A1	09-18-2003	Keyes		
/DL/		EP 0 450 829 A1	10-09-1991	Tarrant		
/DL/		WO 97/39393	10-23-1997	Speldel		

Examiner Signature	/Douglas Lee/	Date Considered	11/07/2008
--------------------	---------------	-----------------	------------

*EXAMINER. Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. *Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). >See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04, a Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). >For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. >Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. >Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

PTO/SB/08B (09-06)

Substitute for form 144B/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(Use as many sheets as necessary)</i>		Complete if Known	
		Application Number	10/573,660
		Filing Date	28 Mar. 2006
		First Named Inventor	E. F. Da Silva Neto
		Art Unit	
		Examiner Name	
Sheet		of	Attorney Docket Number DAS13006/FJD
NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.†	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T2
/DL/		MUSKINJA N. et al., "Use of TCP/IP Protocol in Industrial Environment", Industrial Technology, 2003 IEEE International Conference on Maribor, Slovenia, Dec. 10-12, 2003	
/DL/		SAMSON AG/V74 SCHULUNG: "Foundation Fieldbus", 22 June 2003, XP002331534, Frankfurt, Germany	
/DL/		PEE SUAT HOON, et al., "Foundation™ Fieldbus High Speed Ethernet (HSE) Implementation", Proceedings of the 2002 IEEE International Symposium on Intelligent Control, Canada, 2002.	
/DL/		FIELD BUS FOUNDATION: "Fieldbus Facts Online", Fieldbus Facts Archive, Bd. 2, Nr. 9, Sept. 2001, XP 002331533.	

Examiner Signature	/Douglas Lee/	Date Considered	11/07/2008
--------------------	---------------	-----------------	------------

*EXAMINER. Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

† Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.